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- 1. The office of the Soviet Trade Agency in Calcutta is at 4 Camac Street. The office and furnishings are plain. Visitors are usually not asked into the inner office but are interviewed in the reception room.
- 2. M. Andreev, of the Agency, is reported to be in charge of all Indian exports from the Calcutta area to the USSR. He is 28 years old, about 5 feet 2 inches tall, and of stocky build. He does not speak very good English. Andreev stated that the USSR has all the minerals it needs, and is not interested in importing anything from India except raw jute. Andreev professed a complete lack of knowledge concerning Russian ships coming to Calcutta or what their cargoes were.

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